May 18, 1988

To: File

From: Frank Filas, Reclamation Engineer

Re: Site Inspection, DOE/049/006 - Tickville Gulch Pit, DOE/045/009 - Volcanic Ash Claims

The above two referenced DOE's were filed by Kenneth and Layton Rayl of Fontana Manufacturing Company in early 1979. Their current address is listed below:

Kenneth Rayl 853 Greenflower Court Salt Lake City, UT 84107

Phone: 266-2264

I spoke with Kenneth Rayl prior to field checking these sites in regard to the Tickville Gulch Pit. The pit is shown on the map as an old clay pit which is located in the middle of Camp Williams. Mr. Rayl indicated that access to this site was not a problem and that he wanted the two exemptions to be kept active for the time being.

On May 10, 1988 I attempted to access the Tickville Pit (D/049/006) and found that the area is posted with No Trespassing Signs by Camp Williams. Mr. Rayl may not have any qualms about entering this area, but I did not feel it proper to take a state vehicle past these warning signs.

On May 17, 1988 Holland Shepherd and I visited the Volcanic Ash Claims (D/045/009) near Faust. The claim notice in the area indicated that the claims and related technical reports owned by Fontana were to be sold in a sheriff's auction to be held in June, 1988. The claim block covers four sections. We were not able to locate any significant surface disturbance in driving through the general area.

It is recommended that the updated address be added to the DOE list and that the files be kept active until the new rules are implemented.

cc: W. Hedberg